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(Regular application claiming foreign priority)

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For: **METHOD FOR SYNTHESIS OF EXFOLIATED POLYMER/SILICATE NANOCOMPOSITE**

This application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 from Korean Application No. 2001-55942, filed on September 11, 2001.

**Application Elements:**

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**Accompanying Application Parts:**

- ☐ Assignment and Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet  
☐ Separate Power of Attorney by Assignee  
☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement by Assignee  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449  
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☒ Preliminary Amendment  
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☒ Small Entity Status: The assignee, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, qualifies for small entity status (the assignment papers will be submitted at a later date).  
☐ Other:

Claim For Foreign Priority

☒ Priority based on Korean Application No. 2001-55942, which was filed on September 11, 2001, is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.

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